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In re the Application of  
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Serial No. 10/051,593  
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For: Method and Apparatus for Coordinating Multi-Point to Point Communications in a Multi-Tone Data Transmission System

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

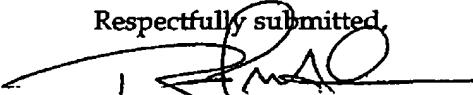
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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action of June 2, 2004 in this application.

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